

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PCT International Application of)	Confirmation No. 5155
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Int. Appln No.: PCT/EP2004/050548)	
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EXPANDER SYSTEM FOR INCREMENTAL)	
<u>EXPANSION OF A TUBULAR ELEMENT</u>)	19 July 2007

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 3, 2007

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2007, Applicants present the following amendments and remarks and request reconsideration of the application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

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